THURSDAY, *July* 7, 1768. THE [NUMB. 113]

VIRGINIA GAZETTE.

Open to ALL PARTIES, but Influenced by NONE.

Mr. RIND,

By inſerting the follow[ing] paſtoral begun in No. 111 *[I] not only conclude the [piece], &c.*

PHILANDER.

DAMON *and* [CELINDA] *according to promiſe.*

DA[MON]

[Shall] thus behold my love advance!
[Hear] voices, and my lambkins dance.
[Wel]come to me, my dear *Celinda* fair;
Bleſt is thy *Damon*;—bleſt his fleecy care.
For thee dame nature crowns theſe fertile plains,
With ſweets ambroſial and melodious ſtrains;
See the glad ſun in radiant glory dreſt,
Painting with beauteous dyes the glowing weſt;
Now gentle zephyrs breathe the cooling gale,
While ſtreams meand'ring roll in yonder vale:
Delightful ſcenes!—With thee and theſe poſſeſs'd.
Ten thouſand raptures glow in my fond breaſt.

CELINDA.

Damon, forbear theſe flatt'ring tales to move,
And let ſome nobler theme declare thy love.
Thy love I ſaid:—But friendſhip, if you pleaſe,
That may awake my love by ſmooth degrees:
At thy requeſt, to ſpend an evening hour,
I'm come to meet you in this roſy bow'r:
But know, young *Damon*,—do not think I jeſt,
That I inſiſt you grant me my requeſt,
And all your tuneful eloquence employ,
To crown this eve with true religious joy.
Phœbus, you know, has reach'd his higheſt acon,
And ſhort'ning days are gently coming on:
Can'ſt thou not moralize on this?—Fond youth,
Now gild thy learned eloquence with truth.

DAMON.

My fair commands,—What can thy *Damon* do?
Why this:—Reſign the glorious taſk to you:
Thy virtuous boſom can the theme improve,
While mine o'erflows but with terreſtrial love;
Thou art my Heaven; thou art all to me:
My love, my life and ſoul, are fix'd in thee!

CELINDA.

Am I thy *idol* then?—If ſo, adieu!
No more I meet;—no more I talk with you.
Yon riſing moon that darts her ſilver rays,
Through the cloſe windings of theſe leafy ſprays;
With all the glitt'ring train that round her ſhine,
Each moment ſing their MAKER is *divine*.
Can'ſt thou be ſilent, *Damon*? Quickly tell,
For if thou can'ſt, I'm gone at once,—Farewell.

DAMON.

Stay, dear *Celinda*!—Do not wreck my heart,
Nor thus unkindly with thy *Damon* part!
Thy ſacred ſuit no longer I'll refuſe,
Thou art all goodneſs, therefore wilt excuſe
My imperfections: —— —— ——

CELINDA.

—— —— —— Doubt not that, fond ſwain,
And join your company next eve again.

DAMON.

Then I am bleſt:—My flocks all joyful ſeem;
And now ſweet nymph I take your noble theme.
The god of day "*has reach'd his higheſt noon,*
And ſhort'ning days are gently coming on."
How excellent his wiſdom who commands,
That ſpacious orb, to viſit diſtant lands;
What ages has he run his ample round,
And yet was never once deceitful found.
True to a moment every planet rolls,
And in due order traverſe round the poles.
Now the bright ſun in each ſucceeding day,
Shortens his courſe, with us, and ſteals away;
While the pale ſhades of night ſucceſſive fly,
And glitt'ring millions decorate the ſky.
Thou know'ſt their ARCHITECT, my lovely *fair*,
Who made the Heav'ns, the earth, the ſea, and air:
Once in a manger laid his glorious head,
And once was number'd with the mould'ring dead;
HE that will at the long expected morn,
On wings of glory thro' the ſkies be borne
Triumphant, ſhall aſcend the judgment ſeat,
And ſlumb'ring worlds before his throne ſhall meet.—

CELINDA.

Theſe are the themes, O *Damon*, I approve,
And well become the man who ſeeks my love.
I aſk your pardon for this great intruſion:—
But ſee the late bright moon * in ſad confuſion!
Her ſhining glory gradually declines;
O'er her fair face a bloody luſtre ſhines;
Tho' the bright ſky's intirely free from clouds,
Yet a ſad gloom her native brightneſs ſhrouds:
Sure ſhe's eclips'd!

DAMON.

O yes and greatly too;
And now my *fair* I pardon crave from you.
This is another inſtance of his love,
Who hung thoſe pond'rous orbs of fire above;
Each ſwiftly rolls its rapid courſe along,
Yet none moleſts or does its neighbour wrong:
A noble inſtance this, to imitate,
While we poſſeſs this tranſitory ſtate;
Wiſely let us this ſacred hint employ,
And ne'er our neighbour's fame or worth deſtroy;
Let us prepare to meet the Judge of Heav'n,
To whom all honour, pow'r and praiſe, be given.

CELINDA.

Amen, amen, ſay I, with all my heart,
And now I think 'tis time for us to part.

DAMON.

Juſt one word more to eaſe my love ſick breaſt:
Say, dear *Celinda*, when you'll make me bleſt.

CELINDA.

That on your future conduct much depends,
Many ſeem virtuous till they gain their ends:
But ſhould you, *Damon*, true and virtuous prove,
Celinda ſoon will grant you love for love.
The ſhepherd heard and to his charmer flew,
And from her lips he ſipt the evening dew;
Then preſs'd her hand with raptures of deſight,
And ſweetly parted with a fond *good-night*.

* *June* 29, 1768.

LONDON, *April* 20.

BY the Canada, Capt. Macleod, arrived a few days ſince, at Cowes, from Carolina, we learn, that Capt. ——, of the Aurora (lately loſt coming over the bar of that place) died in his paſſage to England, on board the Canada. The Aurora, as we are informed, was the ſhip on board which, about two years ago, a young lady, ſiſter to an eminent merchant at Madeira, embarked in London for that iſland; but through an unwarrantable and violent attempt of the Captain during the paſſage, on the maid, and reſented by the miſtreſs, and (as ſuppoſed) from revenge, or fear of complaint and the conſequences, inſtead of landing them, and a conſiderable freight conſigned to the above merchant at Madeira, under falſe and frivolous pretences, when in ſight of the iſland, notwithſtanding the tears and intreaties of the lady, and the repreſentations of other paſſengers, and of his own mate, he ſailed away with them to Barbados; where they no ſooner arrived than the lady underwent very conſiderable further diſtreſs from the great fire at that place, and afterwards returned to England, from whence ſhe ſailed again for Madeira, ſuffering all the time in this tour of many thouſand leagues at ſea (beſides an abſence of twelve months, and the moſt cruel and grievous diſappointment) the moſt imminent dangers, and very great damages. In the mean while Capt. P—— ſailed away with the above goods to Carolina, and to Jamaica (whereto he was not bound) and there converted to his own uſe the ſaid goods, to the great damage, vexation, and diſappointment of the proprietors, and all perſons concerned, and to his own ſad and melancholy end; for from this very ſtrange, and perhaps unparallelled conduct, and after the loſs of his ſaid ſhip, returning unexpectedly home, on board the Canada, much diſordered, he was ſeized with a fever, and died raving mad, leaving a moſt amiable and deſerving woman, his wife, and ſeveral children, in a deplorable condition, to lament the fatal effects of ſuch ſad miſconduct. This unhappy and fatal ſtory, but for the warning it may afford to the living, might have been buried with the deceaſed; but maſters of veſſels may thence learn caution againſt illegal, violent, and immoral attempts on female paſſengers (the probable firſt cauſe of this tragical ſtory and far ſpread diſtreſs) and ladies of character obliged to make diſtant voyages, to take, before departure, proper ſecurity for their protection and ſafe landing; but principally, merchants and others, to ſurvey well characters, as well as bottoms, ſince if no redreſs is had herein, ſuch omiſſion may prove of great detriment not only to private property, but to trade and navigation in general.

We hear that a further ſum of five hundred pounds is to be advanced towards defraying the expence of making a general index to the parliamentary journals.

It is alſo ſaid, that a further ſum of three thouſand pounds is requiſite to defray the charge of printing 1250 copies of records, &c.

Tueſday night, about half an hour after nine o'clock, Mr. Thomas Pearce, of Fiſhmonger-alley, Fenchurch-ſtreet, overtook near the Manſion-houſe, a tall, genteel perſon, with a white coat, that had the appearance of a Gentleman, who had under his arm a ſilver hilted hanger, half drawn out of the ſcabbard, with his hand upon the handle; as alſo a large ſtick. He followed him until he came to the paſſage of the King's-arms tavern, Cornhill, when he ſheathed his hanger, and went to the bar of the ſaid tavern, where he enquired for Mr. Wilkes of the waiter; who anſwered, that he was gone to Bath. He ſeemed much diſappointed, and aſked for Mr. Wilkes's friends. Mr. Pearce apprehending he came upon a wicked deſign, told him that all his friends were gone; when Mr. Pearce acquainted Mr. Wilkes's committee up ſtairs with the ſame. It is therefore thought neceſſary to acquaint ſuch who are miſguided by falſe principles on Mr. Wilkes's outlawry, that any violence or injury to his perſon is equally criminal as if againſt any man in kingdom; and further, that was it otherwiſe, Mr. Wilkes being returned a member of parliament intitles him to every privilege, in the ſame manner as if he had actually taken his ſeat in the Houſe of Commons.

The following was this morning poſted up at the Sun Fire office, in Cornhill.

BRITANNIA *to* JOHN WILKES, *Eſq*;

DROOP not, my ſon, thy laurels cannot fade,
Tho' venal citizens deny thee aid,
On me, on me, their barb'rous rage they turn,
My right they trample, and my altars ſpurn.
I too muſt fall!—Too well, alas! I ſee
Each ſhaft that wounds thy breaſt is aim'd at me.
Droop not, my ſon, nor aſk a nobler fate
Than bravely falling with a *falling* ſtate.
Thou didſt not fail, till *worth*, till *honour* fled;
Thou did'ſt not fail, till *freedom's* ſelf was dead.

Extract of a letter from Parkgate.

"A very odd affair happened a few days ago on board a ſhip that lay in the Offing, bound for Dublin, as follows. A young ſoldier of fortune having charmed the old relict of a deceaſed cheeſemonger, ſo far as to accept him in marriage, ſoon grew ſick of his wife, and the neighbourhood of Thames-ſtreet, both which he quitted as ſoon as he had found an opportunity of converting all matters into ready caſh, that he could wheedle her out of, and made the beſt of his way to Cheſter, on an expedition to Ireland, inſtead of going on a ſhooting party with ſome Gentlemen, under which pretence he had left his lady well ſatisfied with his leaving London for a few days; while waiting for a fair wind, he took a fancy to a monkey of the marmoſette kind, which having purchaſed, he carried on board with him, and faſtened to the foot of his bed in the great cabbin; but the creature having by ſome means obtained his freedom in the night, as ſoon as day-light appeared, got to his maſter's trunk, which he had careleſsly left open, and taking his bags out one by one, which contained gold to the amount of two thouſand guineas, he diverted himſelf by flinging them by handfuls out of the cabbin window into the ſea, until he had quite emptied three of their contents, and was hard at work on the fourth, when the Captain's coming down put a check to his progreſs; but inſtead of coaxing him to deliver the reſidue, the Captain very imprudently catched up a ſtick, and advancing to chaſtiſe him, Pug made a precipitate flight out of the window, and, with the remainder of the treaſure was buried in the deep.—The juſtice of Providence manifeſted itſelf greatly in the puniſhment of the treacherous huſband; but one cannot help laughing at the means whereby it came about, and the agent employed on the account.

Glaſgow, April 20. Two Indian Chiefs belonging to the province of Connecticut, lately arrived here in a veſſel from New-York. After ſatisfying their curioſity reſpecting every thing in this city, they ſet out laſt week for London, where they are to lay ſome grievances before his Majeſty, by the advice of Sir William Johnſon. They appeared to be plain ſenſible men.

NEW-PORT, *June* 6.

Laſt Saturday Capt. W. Ward, in the ſchooner William, arrived here in diſtreſs: He ſailed from New-York the 19th of May, bound for Antigua; on the 23d was in N. Lat. 38, 56, W. Long. 72, 12, when he met with a hard N. E. wind, which obliged him to ſcud for ſome time, having a great ſea, and his veſſel being very leaky. On the 25th of May, in Lat. 36, 31, Long. 71, 42. he bore away for Bermudas; but meeting with contrary winds, and the veſſel's leak increaſing, he was obliged to ſtand to the northward again, and not being able to get into New-York, he put in here as above; his hands being greatly fatigued with continual pumping, &c.

Laſt Saturday, Capt. Thomas Feagle Taylor arrived here from Virginia, by whom we are informed, That, in his paſſage to Virginia,

the 14th of April last, about 14 leagues om Chingoteague Shoals, he took up a sea eſt; which, on examination, proved to be e Capt. Dalling's, from North Carolina, ound to Piſcataway, his owners named Sher- rn: In the cheſt were ſundry clothes, about ven pounds of Carolina paper money, ſeve- l letters to Gentlemen in Boſton and Piſcata- ay, with a number of other papers and the urnal; all which are ſo much damaged, they e ſcarcely legible.

Laſt Friday, at the ſuperior court, held re, Mr. Robert Young, Mr. Thomas Car- ſs, and Mr. Charles John Marſhall, had eir trial for the ſuppoſed murther of Henry arker. The jury, conſiſting of Gentlemen capacity and undoubted reputation, having eard the caſe plead, with the evidences and rcumſtances attending that unhappy affair, ent out, and in a few minutes returned to eir ſeats, and declared the priſoners not uilty, the verdict being to the entire ſatisfac- on of the court; and accordingly the pri- oners were immediately and honourably iſcharged.——

N. B. Mr. Dexter, the other perſon ounded, is now almoſt recovered: His evi- nce was greatly in favour of the priſoners.

ANNAPOLIS, *June* 23.

On the evening of Friday laſt, Mr. THO- AS RICHARDSON, late of this city, mer- was inſtantly killed by a flaſh of light- which melted his watch ſhoe, and knee es.—He was ſitting in a room at Mr. IR's, in *Baltimore-Town*, with another n, at a ſmall diſtance, who was ſtruck n, but ſoon recovered. The damage to the houſe, is inconſiderable, except roof.—Mr. RICHARDSON was a g man, in the prime of life, and poſſeſs'd y good qualities, which juſtly intitled him the eſteem of a numerous acquaintance.

WILLIAMSBURG, *July* 7.

We are well aſſured there is a man now iving in Loudoun county, who is 101 years ld, and has been married to his laſt wife bout 5 years. He is remarkably hearty, as a quarter about 30 miles from his houſe, o which he rides once or twice a fortnight, nd manages all his own buſineſs. He de- lares that if he was again ſingle, he would arry as ſoon as he could, and would prefer girl of about fifteen, to any other age.

Laſt Tueſday ſe'nnight, at a plantation near his city, as two negroes were walking from tobacco-houſe, with a dog between them, he dog was ſtruck dead by a flaſh of light- ning, though the negroes did not feel any hing of the ſhock.

☞ *We thank* A. B. *for his friendly hint, which he will ſee came too late. The piece ſigned* "A FRIEND to LIBERTY," *is come to hand, and if the author will reconſider ſome expreſſions about the middle, and nigh the end of it, we perſuade ourſelves he will excuſe us for not inſerting it.*

Entered at the port of Accomack.

May 13. Schooner Anne, W^m. Wain- houſe, from New-York, with 2 boxes of hocolate, 800 wt. of hams, 6 barrels of cor- dials, 3 caſes and 2 half barrels of rum, 6 aſks and 1 barrel of loaf ſugar, 1 quarter ox of glaſs, 6 hhds. 3 tierces and 1 barrel f molaſſes.

17. Sloop Nancy, Johannes Watſon, rom Philadelphia, in ballaſt.

18. Sloop Endeavour, Edmund Joyne, rom Maryland, in ballaſt,

31. Schooner Betſey & Eſther, Stephen Sampſon, from Barbados, with 24 hhds. of rum, and 13 barrels of Muſcovado ſugar.

June 6. Sloop Nancy, Johannes Wat- ſon, from Philadelphia, with 200 buſhels of ſalt, and a parcel of earthen ware.

10. Schooner Little Betſey, Zephaniah Brown, from Rhode Iſland, with half a ton of hollow iron ware, 2 hhds. of rum, 20 buſhels of ſalt, a parcel of earthen ware, 2 riding chairs, 2 deſks, 2 ſaddles, ½ a dozen houſe chairs, 2 trunks of European goods, and 1 hhd. of molaſſes.

11. Sloop John & Betſey, William B. Bunting, from Philadelphia, with 1 box of loaf ſugar, 250 buſhels of ſalt, 2000 wt. of cordage, 3 barrels of limes, 3 boxes of Eu- ropean goods, 1 caſk of nails, 1 quarter caſk of gunpowder, 8 bolts of duck, and a par- cel of earthen ware.

13. Schooner Jeany & Sally, Reuben Joyne, from Nevis and St. Euſtatia, with 7 hhds. of rum, 1 hhd. of molaſſes, 3 barrels of ſugar, and 3 hhds. of foreign brown ſugar.

14. Schooner Charming Molly, David Gray, from New-York, in ballaſt.

20. Schooner Old Plantation, Laban Pettit, from Philadelphia, with 6 boxes of chocolate, 2 boxes of ſoap, 2 crates of earth- en ware, 4 ſaddles, 4 anchors, 3 dozen of ſcythes, 1 barrel of loaf ſugar, 2 tierces and 16 pieces of Engliſh duck, 1 trunk of Eu- ropean goods, 1 cheſt of ſweet oil, 1 caſk of nails, 3 kegs of pipes, 1 tierce of empty bottles, 1 box of looking glaſſes, 2 bolts of oznabrigs, and 1 piece of ſheeting.

25. Sloop Nancy, Johannes Watſon, from Philadelphia, with 200 buſhels of ſalt.

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May 24. Sloop Nancy, Johannes Wat- ſon, for Philadelphia, with 1300 buſhels of corn, and 5 bags of feathers.

28. Schooner Friendſhip, Daniel Sturgis, for Halifax, with 3000 buſhels of corn.

Sloop Endeavour, Edmund Joyne, for Boſton, with 1600 buſhels of corn, and 200 buſhels of oats.

Sloop John & Betſey, William B. Bunting, for Philadelphia, with 1000 buſhels of corn, 20 buſhels of wheat, 60 buſhels of oats, and 400 wt. of feathers,

June 1. Schooner Leah, John Bradford, for Barbados, with 2000 buſhels of corn.

4. Sloop Sally, Thomas Albertſon, for Philadelphia, with 900 buſhels of corn, and 5 barrels of pork.

9. Sloop Nancy, Johannes Watſon, for Philadelphia, with 1350 buſhels of corn, and 20 buſhels of oats.

10. Schooner Skipton, William Patten, for Maryland, with 700 buſhels of corn, 1000 wt. of bacon, 2 cwt. of feathers, and 10000 ſhingles.

16. Schooner Charming Molly, David Gray, for Philadelphia, with 1500 buſhels of corn.

25. Schooner Peggy, William Huſſen- ton, for Philadelphia, with 870 buſhels of corn, and 61 buſhels of oats.

27 Schooner Old Plantation, Laban Pettit, for Philadelphia, with 1200 buſhels of oats.

28. Schooner Little Betſey, Zephaniah Brown, for Rhode Iſland, with 1650 buſhels of corn, 12 buſhels of wheat, 10 buſhels of peaſe, 10 buſhels of rye, 4 bags of feathers, and 1 bag of cotton.

Entered in the port of York *river.*

May 9. York, David Meriwether, from Briſtol, with European goods, per cockets.

12. Burwell, Thomas Lilly, from London, with European goods, per cockets.

16. Elizabeth, George Hubbard, from London, with European goods.

23. Weſt India Packet, Robert Crawford, from the upper diſtrict of James river, ballaſt; enters to load with corn.

30. Jane and Elizabeth, Hudſon Powell, from Barbados, with 19 hhds. of rum, 1710 gallons; 2800 lb. of brown ſugar, 260 lb. of ginger, and 140 lb. of cocoa.

June 8. Elizabeth, John Allan, from Bar- bados, with 1530 gallons of rum, and 29001b. of Muſcovado ſugar.

9. Charming Nancy, George Martin, from Barbadoes, with 810 gallons of rum, and 2000 lb. of Muſcovado ſugar.

15. Sarah, James Drew, from Briſtol, with European goods.

17. Betſey, George Banks, from Liver- pool, with European goods. Laſt from Port Hampton.

Diana, Robert Tompkins, from Bar- bados, with 13 hhds. of rum, and fifty pounds caſh.

23. Brilliant, Moſes Robertſon from Lon- don, with European goods.

CLEARED.

May 20. Betty, Richard Simms, for Bri- ſtol, with 5615 buſhels of Indian corn, 2000 ſtaves, and 30 pine boards.

21. Fanny, Benjamin Robinſon, for St. Chriſtophers, with 2197 buſhels and an half of corn, 145 buſhels and an half of peaſe, 192 buſhels of oats, and 7600 ſhingles.

31. Succeſs, Daniel Martin, for Boſton, with 2437 buſhels of corn, 216 buſhels of beans, 52 buſhels of wheat, 1900 ſtaves, 4280 lb. of hemp, and 2 hhds. of rum return- ed.

June 3. Mulberry, John Buckler, for Bar- bados, with 2000 buſhels of corn, and 13000 ſhingles.

4. Murdock, Archibald Orr, for Glaſgow, with 442 hhds. of tobacco, 20 tons of pig iron, 10000 ſtaves, and 2 bags of cotton.

17. Brothers, John Cauſey, for Briſtol, with 259 hhds. of tobacco, 13 tons of pig iron, 6840 pieces of lumber, and 139 buſhels of wheat,

18. Weſt India Packet, Robert Crawford, for Antigua, with 3004 buſhels of corn.

Rebecca, William Morris, for Madei- ra, with 3773 buſhels of corn, 547 buſhels of peaſe, and 900 ſtaves.

Entered in the upper diſtrict of James *river.*

June 9. Earl of Bute, James M'Guffie, from Barbados, with 250 hhds. of rum, 10 hhds. and 220 bls. of brown ſugar, 2 bags of ginger, 2 bags of cotton, 4 trunks of Britiſh goods, and 3 caſks of haberdaſhery.

10. Rainbow, Daniel Hendrickſon, with 6 hhds. and 2 barrels of cyder, 1 barrel of cherry wine, 5 caſks and 6 crates of earthen and glaſs ware, a parcel of earthen ware in bulk, and 5 paſſengers, from Perth Amboy.

11. America, Robert Park, from the low- er diſtrict, with European goods.

14. Molly, Charles Campbell, from Lew- es, on Delaware, with 5000 buſhels of ſalt.

21. Molly, Thomas Pollock, from Liver- pool, with European goods, per 2 cockets, and 200 tons of ſalt.

Spiers, James Luſk, from Lewes, on Delaware, with 10000 buſhels of ſalt.

25. Betſey, William Scott, from the low- er diſtrict, with European goods.

27. Good Intent, Robert Necks; from the lower diſtrict, with European goods.

Guildford, Stripling Coſby, from Barbados, with 61 hhds. of rum, and 48 barrels of brown ſugar.

July 2. Nancy, from Glaſgow, James Kippin, with 72 hhds. of rum, 6 hhds, and 4 tierces of molaſſes, 4 hhds. of Muſ covado ſugar, one permit of European goods, and 1 hhd. of prize claret.

4. Harriott, Thomas Herdman, from Aberdeen, with 12 pipes of Madeira wine, 4 hhds. ditto, and 20 quarter caſks ditto.

CLEARED.

June 10. Jenny, Robert Glaſs, for Bar- bados, with 2046 buſhels and a half of corn, 305 buſhels and a half of peaſe, 14 buſhels of beans, 195000 ſhingles, and 12700 hoops.

11. Induſtry, Richard Robinſon, for Bar- bados, with 3300 buſhels of corn, 104 buſhels of beans, 147 buſhels and an half of peaſe, 25825 ſhingles, 1 barrel of lard, 41 barrels of flour, 2 boxes of roſe water, and 2 hhds. of tobacco.

14. Peggy, Iſaac Younghuſband, for Li- verpool, with 405 hhds. of tobacco, 2 bales of hemp, 49 hhds. of ſkins, 4 hhds. and 5 bags of cotton, 8500 ſtaves, 2015 feet of plank, and 150 hoops.

17. James, Humphrey Keeble, for New- York, with 563 buſhels and an half of corn, 134 buſhels of beans, 174 buſhels of peaſe, and 2500 ſhingles.

20. Kattie, James Clark, for Glaſgow, with 396 hhds. of tobacco, 36 hh 8 bales of hemp, 10500 ſtave 90 pigs of lead.

July 4. Prince George, Hull, with 120 hhds. of toba els of Indian corn, 2 hhds. 6000 ſtaves.

6. Earl of Bute, James M'G Glaſgow, with 345 hhds of tobacco, boxes of lead, 400 hoops, 8000 ſtaves, 1 b of rum, 1 barrel of brown ſugar, and 2 bags of cotton.

To be SOLD *at public auction, for ready money or good bills of exchange, at the Houſe of Mr.* John Gibbons, *Vendue Maſter, in* York *town, on* Tueſday *the* 19*th of this inſtant* July, *for the benefit of the inſurers,*

THE rigging, ſails, anchors, cables, and other materials, belong- ing to the ſhip CHARLES of *Lon- don*, lately wrecked on the *Eaſtern Shore*: alſo great part of her cargo, conſiſting of woollens, linens, iron ware, *&c.* of all ſorts, ſaved out of the ſaid wreck. All perſons concerned in the remainder of the cargo ſo ſaved, and not inſured, are deſired to attend then, to adjuſt and pay their proportions of the ſalvage of the ſaid goods, and to take their goods; otherwiſe ſuch goods will be ſold according to law. The above ſhip, ſtores, and goods, will be appraiſed on *Tueſ- day* the 12th inſtant.

WILLIAM WATERMAN.

Accomack county, *May* 25, 1768.

A CERTAIN perſon who calls himſelf WILLIAM FREDERICK MYER (tho' by very good authority, I am informed he went in *North Carolina* by the name of DE WOLF) he is a *German* by his dialect, and pretends to be a phyſician and ſurgeon, but in fact, a great impoſtor, and knows nothing of either: He is a great beau, wears a gold laced ſuit of whitiſh coloured broadcloth, a ſilver laced blue ſilk jacket, and ſometimes wears a green coat, a fawn coloured ditto, a green jacket, red velvet breeches, a blue cloth cloak, with red lining, a gold laced hat, a plain ditto, with a gold button and loop, and a wig. He is a well made fellow, rather lower than the middle ſize, with a tolerable good countenance, boaſts much of his abili- ties as a doctor, and what he has made by the practice; he deals much in the marvellous, and tells he has valuable lands in *South Caro- lina*, and large ſums of money due there for lands ſold; he ſhews a licence, with the names blotted out, obtained in *North Carolina*, and ſays it was granted to him, to be married to a young Lady of conſiderable fortune; but the day before the intended marriage, he heard ſomething of her character, that he choſe to be off. Many ſuch things he tells, to amuſe and deceive thoſe he wants credit from; and what is more prevailing, he inſi- nuates, that he has a large ſum of money with him in gold, by which means he gene- rally gains credit where he reſides (which is never longer than two or three months in a place) and then privately abſconds. This, I am informed, is his conſtant practice, and now experience has told me (and ſeveral others in this county) that it is too true. I juſt give this deſcription and character of the Gentleman, that others may be guarded a- gainſt ſuch deception from him, as he is gone to the *Weſtern Shore* of *Virginia* or *Maryland*.

JAMES ARBUCKLE.

Richmond county, *June* 22, 1768.

STRAYED or ſtolen from Capt. *William Richards*'s paſture, in *King* & *Queen* county, the 6th inſtant, a dark bay horſe, 13 hands 3 inches high, well made, with a roach'd mane and bob tail, branded on the near buttock thus ↄ, he is about 7 years old, trots ſlow and gallops well, has about the root of the tail, a number of white hairs intermixed with black. Alſo a dark grey blooded mare, about 14 hands and a half high, with a hanging mane and ſwitch tail, no brand; ſhe is 4 years old, ſlender made, and diſcovers her blood. Whoever will con- vey the above-mentioned horſes to the ſub- ſcriber, in *Richmond* county, ſhall receive 3 l, reward, or 30 s. for either.

WILLIAM COLSTON.

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June 24, 1768.

I INTEND to leave the colo- ny in a very ſhort time.

JOHN LIVINGSTON.

VIRGINIA, *ſc.*

By the Hon. JOHN BLAIR, *Eſq;*
PRESIDENT *of his Majeſty's Council, and Commander in Chief of the ſaid co- lony and dominion.*

A PROCLAMATION

for publiſhing the ratification of one act of Aſſembly, and the repeal of three, paſſed in 1764, *and* 1766.

WHEREAS his Majeſty in Council hath been pleaſed to ſignify his approba- tion and allowance of one act, *viz.* "An act to impower the corporation of the city of *Williamſburg* to aſſeſs taxes on the inhabi- tants thereof for the purpoſes therein men- tioned, and for repealing a certain act of Aſſembly therein alſo mentioned."

And hath been pleaſed alſo to ſignify his diſſallowance of three acts, *viz.*

An act to veſt certain lands therein men- tioned in *John Syme*, Eſq; and others in fee ſimple, and for ſettling other lands and ſlaves in lieu thereof.

An act to impower the executors of *Charles Carter*, late of *King George*, to ſell part of his lands and ſlaves for payment of his debts and legacies.

An act for giving a ſalary to the Speaker of the Houſe of Burgeſſes.

But as the only objection to this act lay againſt the mode preſcribed for payment of the ſalary, his Majeſty has been pleaſed to ſignify his royal permiſſion and allowance for providing for the ſame ſervice in the conſti- tutional way:

I do therefore, in purſuance thereof, by this proclamation, publiſh and declare, that the ſaid firſt act is confirmed, finally enacted, and ratified: And that the ſaid three laſt acts are repealed, made void, and of none effect; and for the more ſolemn ſignification thereof, I do appoint this proclamation to be read and publiſhed at the court-houſe of the ſeveral counties within this dominion; and the ſheriffs are to take care the ſame be done accordingly.

Given under my hand, and the ſeal of the colony, at *Williamſburg*, this 15th day of *June*, 1768, and in the 8th year of the reign of our Sovereign Lord *George* III.

John Blair.